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SUBJECT: UN SANCTIONS: DEMARCHE ON JORDANIAN REQUEST TO ADD  
TO 1267 COMMITTEE LIST

REF: A. BERRY/SUTPHIN E-MAILS

1B. SECSTATE 149439

Classified By: PolCouns Doug Silliman for reasons 1.5 (B) and (D)

11. (C) Following up on earlier Embassy approaches to the GOJ (ref a), PolCouns on August 6 covered ref b points on Jordan's request to add 9 names to the 1267 Committee List with Ali al-Ayed, Personal Assistant to Foreign Minister Muasher. PolCouns explained that the USG would like Jordan to submit additional identifying information for each individual on the list, as well as a summary of the reasons why the GOJ believes they are members of al-Qaeda. He asked that the Jordanian Mission ask that the 1267 Committee not circulate the current list, then re-submit a more complete list to the 1267 Committee after consulting with the USG.

12. (C) Ayed took the points and promised to pass them on to the Jordanian Mission in New York. He also agreed that informal GOJ-USG consultation on the appropriate information to add to the 1267 request was a good idea.

13. (C) COMMENT: Post greatly appreciates the background information provided in ref b.

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